

CONGRESS PONDER  
STEPS TO BE TAKEN  
TO REVIVE TRIPLE AStunned by Court's Death-  
Blow; Turn to Bonus and  
Neutrality Legislation

## ONE FIRST EFFECT

Provoke Campaign to Amend  
Constitution, to Strip Such  
Power from Courts

By William K. Hutchinson  
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WASHINGTON, Jan. 7.—(INS)—  
Stunned by the Supreme Court's death-  
blow to the AAA, administration lead-  
ers of Congress today turned to Bonus  
and neutrality legislation while pon-  
dering steps that might be taken to  
revive the slaughtered Agriculture Ad-  
justment Administration.

One immediate effect of the decision  
was to provoke a new campaign to  
amend the Constitution, so as to strip  
the Federal courts of power to declare  
acts of Congress unconstitutional. Sen-  
ator Cogan (D) of Colorado, author  
of such a proposed amendment, an-  
nounced he would rush early hearings  
on the proposition.

Another effect was announcement of  
a drive to enact the Frazier cost-pro-  
duction farm bill. This measure was  
originally a part of the AAA bill, but  
at the last moment it was stricken out  
when Secretary of Agriculture Wal-  
lace announced his opposition to it.

The Frazier plan would guarantee  
farmers their cost of production on  
any crop. This would be accomplished  
by empowering a Federal agency to  
determine the cost of production in  
any crop and then making it illegal  
either for a person to purchase or sell  
that farm commodity at a lower price.  
It was opposed by the administration  
in 1933 on the ground it was clearly  
unconstitutional.

Despite the Court's AAA decision,  
Rep. Eicher (D) of Iowa, announced  
he would push enactment of the  
Frazier bill in the house. Senator  
Frazier (R) of North Dakota, its au-  
thor, said he would take like steps in  
the Senate.

## Hauptmann Works on Oration

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 7.—Unexpectedly  
granted three extra days of life, Bruno  
Richard Hauptmann today was work-  
ing feverishly on the oration he hopes  
to deliver in person before the New  
Jersey Court of Pardons at 10:30 a. m.,  
Saturday.

Governor Harold G. Hoffman has  
announced that that court of  
mercy, of which he is the chief mem-  
ber, will meet Saturday to take up  
Hauptmann's plea for a commutation  
of his sentence for the murder of  
Baby Lindbergh from one of death to  
one of life imprisonment.

At the same time it was disclosed  
by Col. Mark O. Kimberling, principal  
keeper of the State Prison, that  
Hauptmann's execution, originally  
scheduled for January 14 at 8:30 p. m.,  
has been postponed definitely to a day  
later in that week. He indicated the  
day would be Friday, the 17th.

He spoke rather freely of Haupt-  
mann's preparations for his impend-  
ing zero. "Hauptmann spends prac-  
tically all of his time studying  
the transcript of his trial," the  
prison official said.

## Fights to Teach Own Children

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 7.—"I wouldn't let  
my daughters draw one breath in a  
public school if I were to be electro-  
cuted for it."

Thus today spoke Mrs. Mary Spen-  
cer, Chicago attorney, in defense of  
her right to educate her children in  
her own way. And that way is one  
of the most amazing in American  
education.

Here are Mrs. Spencer's rules for  
educating her daughters:

1. Permit them to come and go as  
they please. 2. Permit them to read  
or study whatever or whenever they  
want to. (Mary Delle quoted to the  
jury the other day from the classics.)  
The daughters are Mary Delle and  
Victoria.

## BOY IS BAPTIZED

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Al-  
bert Gross, Jr., Garden street, was  
baptized William, on Sunday, in St.  
Mark's Church. The sponsors were  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gross, Beaver  
street.

## MRS. WILLIAM ROWLAND DIES

Mrs. William Rowland, sister of Mrs.  
George Wislar, died yesterday in  
Cheltenham.

## DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Russell Vandegrift, Newportville,  
died in Harriman Hospital, this morn-  
ing, a victim of pneumonia.

## YARDLEY

Tuesday evening the Epworth  
League of the Methodist Church will  
hold a business session with Arthur  
W. Blaker, presiding, and Miss Anna  
Wright will have charge of a social  
snow frolic at the close of the session.

Rev. D. Ray Meixell To  
Speak at Service Here

Because this is National Week-of-  
Prayer for the Protestant churches of  
America a special service will be held  
in the Methodist Church of Bristol to-  
morrow evening at 7:45 p. m. At that  
time a message will be delivered by  
the Rev. D. Ray Meixell, pastor of the  
22nd Methodist Episcopal Church in  
Philadelphia.

Before the service there will be a  
luncheon conference of the stewards,  
trustees and presidents of the various  
organizations of the church. At this  
time the program of the church from  
now until Easter will be discussed and  
definite preparations will be made for  
the important church night services,  
which begin next Wednesday evening.

NICHOLS ELECTED HEAD  
OF MORRISVILLE COUNCIL

Defeats Elwood Kohl by Vote  
of 6 to 2 for the  
Office

## NAME THE COMMITTEES

MORRISVILLE, Jan. 7.—Councilman  
Paul Nichols, Republican hold-over  
from the Second Ward, was elected  
president of Morrisville Common  
Council over Councilman Elwood  
Kohl, another Republican hold-over  
from the First Ward, at the reorgan-  
ization meeting last night. The vote  
was 6 to 2. Mayor Thomas B. Stock-  
ham presided and this was the eighth  
time that the chief executive assisted  
in the organization of Borough Coun-  
cil.

William H. Howell was re-elected  
borough secretary; Watson J. Simons  
was re-elected borough treasurer;  
Willard S. Curtin was re-elected bor-  
ough solicitor, and Albert Cooper was  
re-elected chief of police. These four  
offices were filled by acclamation.

Prior to the election of the presi-  
dent, Councilmen Frank S. Hibbs, of  
the First Ward; Henry M. Griffith, of  
the Second Ward; Edwin W. Greenlee,  
Third Ward, and William N. Davie,  
Fourth Ward, who were elected at the  
November election presented their cer-  
tificates of election and their oaths  
of office and were seated. Hibbs  
and Greenlee, both Republicans, were  
re-elected, while Griffith and Davie,  
both Democrats, are new members of  
the body. Griffith replaces A. T.  
Lynch, Republican, whom he defeated  
at the general election, while Davie  
replaces John Bleasdale, another  
Democrat, whom he defeated at the  
primary election last September.

Council now stands six Republicans  
and two Democrats, a gain of one for  
the Democrats. The hold-over mem-  
bers, aside from Kohl and Nichols, are  
Russell Pfeiffer, of the Fourth Ward,  
and John Sumner, of the Third Ward.

After thanking the members for  
their support in electing him president  
of Council, Mr. Nichols announced the  
appointment of the following commit-  
tees of Council: Water: John Sum-  
ner, chairman; Frank S. Hibbs, Ed-  
win W. Greenlee and Henry M. Grif-  
fith, Streets: Frank S. Hibbs, chair-  
man; John Sumner, Edwin W. Green-  
lee and Henry M. Griffith, Finance:  
Henry M. Griffith, chairman; John  
Sumner, Edwin Greenlee and Elwood  
Kohl, Sanitation and Poor: Elwood  
Kohl, chairman; William Davie, Ed-  
win Greenlee and Russell Pfeiffer,  
Lights: Edwin Greenlee, chairman;  
Frank S. Hibbs and Russell Pfeiffer,  
Ordinance: Russell Pfeiffer, chairman;  
Henry M. Griffith and John Sumner,  
Police: Edwin Greenlee, chairman;

Henry M. Griffith, Frank S. Hibbs and  
William Davie, Fire Protection: Wil-  
liam Davie, chairman; Russell Pfeiffer  
and Elwood Kohl.

Name Webster Grim President  
of Bucks County Bar Ass'n

Named as the new president of the  
Bucks County Bar Association is the  
Honorable Webster Grim. The election  
occurred Saturday evening; and at  
that time E. Wesley Keeler, who has  
been serving as president since the  
death of the late Judge Yerkes, be-  
came president emeritus. Mr. Keeler  
has been practicing law for nearly 60  
years.

Election also included: Vice presi-  
dent, Henry A. James; secretary-treasurer, I. J. Vanartsdalen; direct-  
ors, Howard I. James, Thomas Ross,  
Arthur M. Eastburn, J. Hibbs Buck-  
man, W. S. Achey, I. Louis Rubin,  
Gordon Luckenbill.

Members of the library committee  
are: C. Wilson Roberts, Stace McEn-  
tee, Wesley Bunting, John L. DuBois,  
W. Laurence Monroe.

It was decided to have the annual  
Bar dinner in Doylestown on Saturday,  
January 25th. The afternoon of that  
day a postponed meeting will be held  
at the Court House.

One of the features of the meeting  
was the appointment of a committee  
to investigate the unauthorized prac-  
tice of the law by persons not admitted  
to the Bar, under the provisions of a  
recent act of the Assembly making it  
a criminal offense.

It was decided to invite the presi-  
dents and the secretaries of the Mont-  
gomery, Chester and Delaware Bar  
associations to be guests at the annual  
dinner of the Bucks county lawyers.  
John Ross, recently admitted to the  
Bar at Doylestown, became a member  
of the association.

## FRANKLIN D. and FRANKLIN P.

(New York American, January 4, 1936)

Analogies are often striking, and sometimes instructive.  
There was a Democratic President some years ago whose first  
name also was Franklin—President Franklin Pierce.

He was swept into the Presidency by a great popular vote,  
carrying all but four States of the thirty-one which at that time consti-  
tuted the Union.

He received 254 out of 296 electoral votes.

The sycophants of that day declared, "No man stood so high  
before the American people, save and except one, the immortal  
Washington."

The analogies between him and the later Franklin crop out with  
startling profusion as one dips into his life.

"His nomination," says the Historian Rhodes, "was not  
the spontaneous affair which it seemed, for his candidature had  
been carefully nursed and was in competent hands."

It could hardly have been in more competent hands than Jim  
Farley's with his early forays into the States for convention delegates.

Pierce ran on a Unionist platform.

Although he did not leap into an airplane and fly to the scene  
of the convention, accepting his nomination before the convention  
adjourned and before formal notification, he nevertheless gave his  
acceptance with unprecedented promptness and in terms that were  
quite the equivalent of the "I am for it, 100 per cent!" declaration of  
Franklin Roosevelt as to the 1932 platform of the Democracy.

Pierce declared that he stood "upon the platform adopted by  
the convention, not because this is expected of me as a candidate,  
but because the principles it embraces command the approbation of  
my judgment and with them I believe I can safely say there has been  
no word nor act of my life in conflict."

But he didn't stand long!

Although elected on a platform of loyalty to the Union, and  
nominated by the Northern Democrats, who hoped to avoid the  
severance of the country into distracted fragments and the rending  
of the Constitution by sectionalism, Franklin Pierce soon betrayed  
his pledges and the trust reposed in him by his party by appointing  
notorious advocates of secession to key positions in his Adminis-  
tration.

Such men were regarded as enemies of the country by the  
Democrats of that time, not less than are the Communists like Tug-  
well, the collectivists and regimenters of the Frankfurter type, the  
blatant agitators such as Ickes, and the various Red Network plotters  
whom Franklin Roosevelt has appointed to office.

It was not long, however, before thoughtful men realized that  
despite Franklin Pierce's overwhelming majority, the country really  
knew nothing of his personal fitness and had voted for him largely  
in response to a certain superficial and external appeal.

People were captivated by his youthful appearance and his  
confident bearing on all public occasions.

They began to realize that they had succumbed to what has  
been described as the foible of every Democracy, i. e., to make pets of  
the plausible and untried, and to invest a favorite with virtues and  
talents he never possessed.

The great William H. Seward, who a few years later was to  
become Lincoln's Secretary of State, wrote to his wife:

"President Pierce has a VERY winning way in his manners."

But the Historian Rhodes remarks:  
"PEOPLE SOON PERCEIVED THAT THE PRESIDENT  
LACKED FIRMNESS AND BY THE TIME CONGRESS AS-  
SEMBLED THERE HAD ARISEN GENERAL DISTRUST OF  
HIS CAPACITY."

And adds:  
"HE WOULD MAKE UP HIS MIND IN THE MORNING  
AND CHANGE IT IN THE AFTERNOON. HE WOULD  
RECEIVE AN APPLICATION FOR OFFICE EFFUSIVELY,  
PUT ON HIS MOST URBANE MANNER, LISTEN WITH  
ATTENTION, GIVING THE ASPIRANT FOR PUBLIC  
PLACE EVERY REASON TO FEEL THAT THE POSITION  
WAS SURELY HIS."

"FOR FRANKLIN PIERCE COULD NOT SAY NO;  
AND WHEN HE WAS NOT ABLE TO GIVE A DIRECT  
PROMISE HE WOULD GIVE AN IMPLIED ONE."

"THIS FAILING CAUSED HIM TROUBLE WITHOUT  
END."

"IN MORE THAN ONE CASE THE SAME IMPOR-  
TANT OFFICE WAS PROMISED TO TWO DIFFERENT  
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PERKASIE FIREMEN  
ANSWERED 25 CALLS

Total Loss is Estimated at  
\$39,000 During The  
Year 1935

## LIST VARIOUS CAUSES

PERKASIE, Jan. 7.—This borough's  
fire losses in 1935 approximated \$39,-  
200, according to the records of the  
retiring fire chief, William Helfrich.  
The local firemen were called ten times  
to fight fires within the borough limits  
and fifteen times for out-of-town fires.

Only three of the borough fires were  
of sufficient consequences to rate a  
fire loss. The most serious blaze of  
the year in this borough was on May 10,  
when the stock and building of the  
Apfelbaum store at Sixth and Chestnut  
streets, was damaged to the extent of  
\$17,000. On February 8th, fire damaged  
the building and stock at the Gegan  
clothing factory to the extent of \$13,-  
000. The third fire that rated a loss  
was on June 11th, when the twin  
residence of Representative Wilson L.  
Yeakel and Mrs. Mary Cressman were  
damaged at a loss of \$3200. Two prop-  
erties were involved in this fire, but  
there was only one call issued for the  
firemen.

Barns, dwellings and grass consti-  
tute an equal fire hazard, according to  
the log kept by Chief Helfrich. Of  
the twenty-five calls received during  
the year, eighteen calls were divided  
equally between barns, dwelling and  
grass fires. Garages were responsible  
for two calls, a factory, store, truck,  
brooder house and an outhouse for one  
each. Nearly one-third of the local  
fires occurred during the month of  
May. Seven of the twenty calls were  
received in May, while January and  
October were the two months of the  
year without a fire call.

UNIQUE X'MAS DISPLAY  
ATTRACTS ATTENTION

Many Stop to Admire Exhibit  
at Home of Mr. and Mrs.  
M. L. Carter

## OCCUPIES WHOLE ROOM

For Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Carter, 555  
Swain street, Christmas takes up not  
a few days, but several weeks of the  
year, and should planning time be  
taken into consideration, the period  
would run from one Christmas day to  
another. For already, even with this  
year's display still being admired by  
numerous visitors, they are arranging  
this and talking of that for Christmas  
of 1936.

"A White Christmas" it was indeed  
at the Carter household, and for one  
and a half weeks did Mr. and Mrs. Car-  
ter and their daughter work industri-  
ously, so that all might be in readi-  
ness when Santa Claus arrived with  
the gifts. The trees are entirely of  
white—yes, the trees, for there are  
three of them, a big one which reaches  
to the ceiling, and two smaller ones  
in the opposite part of the living-room.  
And the entire living-room is utilized  
for the Yuletide display.

To begin with the floor is entirely of  
white cotton, sprinkled over with arti-  
ficial snow. Added to the Winter scene  
are the big "snow-covered" tree, and  
the two smaller ones. On each are  
brilliant colored lights, gay balls and  
silvery stars. At the base of the  
largest tree are three big green elec-  
tric bulbs, while the tree is topped  
with a green electric light in the shape  
of a star. And in between glitter all  
colors of the rainbow. The central  
lighting fixture in the ceiling has also  
been fitted with green bulbs.

Miniature trees for the village have  
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Pneumonia Is Fatal To  
Mrs. Carl J. Meder, 41

A woman resident of Middletown  
Township died yesterday, a victim of  
pneumonia. The deceased is Mrs.  
Grace Myrtle Meder (nee Jackson),  
wife of Carl J. Meder. She was the  
daughter of Frank and Gertrude Jack-  
son.

The late Mrs. Meder, who was 41  
years of age, had been ill for two  
weeks. She had resided on the Emille  
Road, above Midway for the last few  
years.

The funeral, to which relatives and  
friends are invited, will be held Thurs-  
day morning at 10 o'clock, from her  
late residence, with burial in Old Ken-  
nett Burying Ground, Hamorton, Ches-  
ter County, under direction of Charles  
Haefner, funeral director. Friends may  
call Wednesday evening.

SEPTEMBER HIGH-LIGHTS  
IN NEWS ARE REVIEWED

Three Injured in Explosion at  
Woodbourne; Two People  
Meet Sudden Death

## SCOUTS IN NEW ENGLAND

Highlights of September news in  
lower Bucks County included an ex-  
plosion at Woodbourne with a mother  
and two sons being injured; the sud-  
den death of a truck driver at Bridge-  
ton; the New England trip of Bucks  
County Council Jamboree Troops, Boy  
Scouts; death of a young Middletown  
Twp. woman who leaped or fell from  
an automobile. These and many other  
items are reviewed in the following  
paragraphs:

2nd—A special session of Morrisville  
borough council was held when notice  
was received the dead-line for filing  
applications for WPA projects was set  
for September 5th, and the borough  
fathers desired to receive Federal gov-  
ernment approval of a water works  
improvement project together with 45  
per cent of the costs. It was estimated  
the job would cost between \$40,000 and  
\$50,000.

A former Bristol resident, Mrs. Mag-  
gie Horner, wife of John Horner, Vine-  
land, N. J., died of injuries sustained  
the day previous when the car oper-  
ated by her husband and a second ma-  
chine collided near Vineland.

Riding in one of two cars which  
crashed near Newportville, Robert  
Guilder, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., sustained  
fractures of both knees. The injured  
man was the guest of relatives in Ed-  
dington.

3rd—Announcement was made that  
according to the will of the late Mi-  
chael C. Bouvier, senior holder of a  
seat on the New York Stock Exchange,  
the St. Francis Industrial School, Ed-  
dington, and the Sisters of the Blessed  
Sacrament for Indians and Colored  
People, Cornwells Heights, would each  
receive \$20,000.

Linford K. Morzan, chief of Croydon  
Fire Company, died suddenly at the  
home of one of his daughters in Phila-  
delphia. Although in ill health for  
some time, Mr. Morzan had improved,  
and was stricken after his arrival for  
a visit.

4th—Joseph P. Duffy, Bristol post-  
master, was appointed director of  
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Sunday Evening Party Is  
Held at Green Residence

Miss Nellie Green, Bath street, en-  
tertained a few friends Sunday eve-  
ning.

Games were played and refresh-  
ments were served to: Misses Mary  
Muffet, Eileen and Dorothy Wiltshire,  
Margaret Robertson, Bristol; Rita Et-  
tinger, Mayfair; Messrs. Jack Dugan,  
Thomas Muffet, George Walders, Rich-  
ard Doyle, John Camfield, Leslie Ed-  
wards.

George Walders entertained by rec-  
iting poems.

Bus Passengers Shaken  
When Truck, Trailer Are Hit

Twenty-seven bus passengers were  
shaken up early last night when the  
vehicle figured in a collision with a  
truck and trailer on the Lincoln High-  
way at Oxford Valley. No one was in-  
jured, but both machines were badly  
damaged.

John E. Baker, of 128 South Warren  
street, Trenton, was driving a truck  
with a trailer attached when the ma-  
chine became disabled and the lights  
were extinguished. The bus, operated  
by John J. Murphy, of Philadelphia,  
crashed into the rear of the truck.  
Highway Patrolman Diem, of the Ox-  
ford Valley station, investigated.

THIS DATE IN  
NEWS OF PAST

Tuesday, January 7  
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1785—Jean Blanchard made the first  
flight over the English Channel, in a  
balloon.

1789—First Presidential election was  
held in the U. S.

1873—Elena, present Queen of Italy,  
was born.

1918—President Wilson stated his  
famous 14 Points in speech to Con-  
gress.

LATEST NEWS - - -  
Received by International  
News Service Leased  
Wires.

## Constitution May Be Issue

By George R. Holmes  
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Washington, Jan. 7.—The political  
effect of the Supreme Court's pulling  
down the main pillars of the Roosevelt  
recovery program may conceivably be  
far reaching, especially in relation to  
the 1936 Presidential campaign.

Constitutional issues have been defi-  
nitely shoved through the ground as a  
result of the outlawing of the NRA and  
the AAA, but it is not yet clear whether  
the Democrats will care to push them.

For the Democrats to do so, might  
mean a party division in the campaign  
that would prove disastrous to Presi-  
dent Roosevelt's hope of re-election,  
for there are many Democrats of promi-  
nence who disapprove of the whole  
range of "reform" measures instituted  
by the Legislature.

President Roosevelt, after the clear  
defeat, spoke with some bitterness  
about "horse and buggy days" of the  
Constitution, and at that time indicated  
he would not be averse to a battle over  
amending the Constitution.

He has said nothing since the AAA  
blow, but it cannot be denied that it  
has aroused a feeling in this regard.

Much more is to be heard in the next  
few months about amending the Con-  
stitution to give the Federal govern-  
ment greater power in the fields of in-  
dustry and agriculture. Whether it is  
to become one of the primary issues  
remains to be seen.

Politicians were left rather groping  
today as they tried to assay the throw-  
ing out of virtually all of the Roose-  
velt programs in terms of Roosevelt  
election.

There is not much left of the whole  
Roosevelt structure. The NRA is gone,  
the AAA is gone, and the Legislature  
of the Court indicated that it con-  
sidered such measures as the Bankhead  
Act, the potato control act and the  
Wagner law and perhaps other laws to  
be in the same category with the  
NRA and the AAA. In the opinion of  
some observers, this will force a  
change in the whole Democratic plan  
of campaign. After extraordinary  
measures the Supreme Court took, the  
Democratic plan of campaign was sim-  
ple and direct. They were going to  
improve business and credit it to the  
NRA and so on down the line.

It was all very simple. Now it is not  
so simple. The leaders are concerned  
and perplexed, what the Republicans  
think of the turn of events in which  
the Democrats find themselves. Their  
plan of campaign has been simplified.  
They are going to the Court with the  
argument that business has been  
spent.

HULMEVILLE COUNCIL  
ORGANIZES FOR YEAR

Two New and One Former  
Member Take the Oath  
of Office

## CHOOSE OFFICIALS

HULMEVILLE, Jan. 7.—Two new  
councilmen were affirmed, as was a  
third who was recently reelected,  
when Hulmeville borough's governing  
body met for the first session of 1936,  
last evening. The meeting was con-  
ducted in the council chamber.

The new councilmen are Alfred E.  
A. Bronson and Alvin P. Schoenfeld.  
These two, together with Norman E.  
Davis, recently reelected, were affir-  
med by Burgess Charles F. Laros.

The councilmanic body likewise re-  
organized last evening, with Norman  
Davis being elected president. Mr.  
Davis succeeded Cyrus E. Smith, whose  
term has expired. Appointed as treas-  
urer and secretary last evening were  
Miss Grace H. Illick and Wallace E.  
Davis, respectively. These two have  
been serving council in these capaci-  
ties.

Burgess Laros likewise affirmed to  
the high constableness, Orville H. Mor-  
ris.

Members present last evening were:  
Norman Davis, Charles Afflerbach, Jr.,  
Dillwyn Adler, Stanley Buckman.  
Standing committees had no reports  
to present.

LIBRARY SHAREHOLDERS  
TO MEET

The annual meeting of the share-  
holders of the Bristol Free Library  
will be held Thursday, January 16th,  
at eight p. m., at the library.

PETITIONERS LOSE  
IN FIGHT AGAINST  
DE GROOT ELECTION

Court Dismisses Case and  
Places the Cost Upon the  
Petitioners

## DE GROOT GIVEN 405

Five of Seven Alleged Illegal  
Voters Voted for Webb;  
One Didn't Vote

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 7.—After hear-  
ing witnesses in the Court of Quarter  
Sessions of Bucks county in the case  
of William E. DeGroot, whose election  
as a member of Council in the Fifth  
Ward of Bristol Borough on the Dem-  
ocratic ticket was contested several  
weeks ago, the court yesterday dis-  
charged the rule and dismissed the  
petition, directing that the costs be  
paid by the petitioners.

DeGroot's Republican opponent at  
the general election last November  
was Dr. H. Doyle Webb, of Bristol.  
After election, a petition of voters was  
presented to the county court, alleging  
that at least seven persons who voted  
at the polls in the Webb-DeGroot dis-  
trict, voted for DeGroot illegally. It  
was contended in the petition that  
seven illegal voters were either not  
residents of the District, were not  
naturalized citizens or were not yet of  
age.

The election return shows that De-  
Groot won out by a vote of 406 to 400,  
the latter being the total votes re-  
ceived by Dr. Webb. After hearing the  
witnesses in the case yesterday the  
final standing shows that DeGroot's  
lawful vote was 405 and that Dr. Webb  
received 395. Of the seven alleged  
illegal voters cast at the polls, one per-  
son did not vote at all and the others  
were cast for Dr. Webb instead of De-  
Groot as contended by the petitioners.



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TUESDAY, JANUARY 7, 1936

### KILLED!

"How long," asks Senator Borah, "is this reckless destruction of life to go on in the highways of the United States?"

Mr. Borah was commenting on the death of Minnesota's Senator Schall of injuries sustained when he was struck by an automobile in Maryland traffic.

Issues of metropolitan papers for the same day give us headlines like these: "Five Killed in Chicago Area in Saturday Traffic"; "Auto Mishaps Kill 3 Women in Detroit"; "Chicago's 1935 Traffic Toll now 773 Dead, 17,309 Injured"; "Fourteen Plunge to Death as Bus Drops into River."

Abroad, the League and its sympathizers are moving heaven and earth to call a halt on an African war which has cost the invader 228 lives in the most strenuous of its battles to date, according to its own figures.

These 223 lives would constitute a modest total for a Saturday or Sunday on American highways!

The outlawing of war is a matter of prime concern to all of good heart in this world. Destruction of life and property, of national economy, of family life, and culture and the fruits of peace, flow inevitably from the modern war. Among civilized beings, war as a policy has few friends. But a great deal seems to depend on whether this unspeakable destruction is a matter of policy, or an affliction like the traffic toll, which contains every attribute of war but deliberation, and most of its human consequences.

### SUCCESS

Men who have achieved unmistakable success are sometimes tempted to pass on to their successors their formula. Yet it is significant that out of the consensus of such confessions there can be contrived no sure definition of success nor a certain fashion of reaching it. It is as though some ingredient were denied declaration, for which reason success is no conquerer than of yore and no easier of attainment.

The essential element which is often overlooked in the analysis of a successful career is the simple one of friendship. Men of destiny rarely rise unaided. Other hands and shoulders have helped their progress, have carried part of their burden and have opened their trail. Great men, indeed, have not only the talent and strength to achieve but also the inestimable gift of making and keeping friends whose loyal offices contribute opportunities and encouragement to the making of a successful man.

Friendship can give much and be itself no poorer, while the object of its services turns it to profitable account. All men need it, for no great man walks entirely alone and no little man can spare its kindly aid. When success, great or small, crowns at last our efforts and ambitions, we will do well not to forget how much of other men's labors and love is woven into them.

Bathing costumes made of old inner tubes are being worn by Florida cuties for hours at a stretch.

A comfort of campaigning in the old days was that a vote-seeker could make a sub rosa speech to farmers without being overheard on city radios.

## INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS OF NEAR BY TOWNS

### HULMEVILLE

The games of pinocle, bridge and "radio" will be played at the card party to be sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary in William Penn Fire Company station, Friday evening. Each member is providing a prize for the high scorers. Refreshments will be sold, and the public is asked to support the affair.

Joseph Everett presided at the business meeting of the Methodist Epworth League in the church last evening. The organization voted to donate an additional \$10 to the church building fund.

"The Covered Wagon," a motion picture, will be shown in Grace Episcopal Church parish room, Friday evening. There will be a sale of baked goods at that time also.

### TULLYTOWN

Saturday evening a number of friends of Franklin Rouseau gathered at his home in honor of his 21st birthday anniversary. The evening was a most pleasant one, games and music being enjoyed. Following the social time refreshments were served, and at a late hour the guests departed for their homes. Mr. Rouseau was the recipient of many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Bowman, Jr., Glenolden, have been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Naylor and Mrs. Ray Supkin, Florence, N. J., were visitors at the home of James A. Nolan.

Mrs. Helen Johnson, Trenton, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Walters, Sr., Sunday.

William J. Stokes is confined to Hahnemann Hospital, Philadelphia, due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Auchenback, Bristol, were visitors with the latter's mother, Mrs. Mabel Cray, Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Dean has been spending a short time with her mother, Mrs. John Lefever, Trenton.

Mrs. Lester B. Shoemaker has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watson, Morrisville, were visitors with friends here, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kamp, Philadelphia, were visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Wilson.

### YARDLEY

Mrs. Charles A. Laney, Overbrook, has returned home after visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Leedom.

Miss Maxine Forte entertained the members of the Sub-Deb Club at a theatre party in Trenton on Friday evening. Her guests included: Miss Miriam Gallagher, Miss Annette Gallagher, Miss Janet Smith, Miss Kathryn Rothmel, Miss Betty Peters, Miss Janet Gilmore, Miss Maria Parks, Miss Marilyn Nolan, Miss Edna Johnson, all of Yardley.

Rev. and Mrs. Francis C. Thomas entertained at dinner on Saturday evening, the Rev. and Mrs. Carl Hammerly, of Newtown, Rev. and Mrs. William Vernon Middleton, of Narberth, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Horst, of Boyertown, Pa.

Mrs. Norman S. White, who has been confined to her home by illness is improving.

### September High-Lights In News Are Reviewed

Continued from Page One

Bucks County for the State Postmaster's Association.

Morrisville public schools opened with an enrollment of 1325 pupils.

Bucks County Council Jamboree Troop of Boy Scouts left for a bus tour of New England, this trip to replace the cancelled journey to Washington, D. C.

5th—Charles R. Schaffer, 25, of Tamaqua, was instantly killed when the coal truck in which he was riding struck a pole near Bridgetown. The father of the young man was following in a second truck.

Headquarters of the Republican Harmony Campaign Committee officially opened at 419 Mill street.

7th—Mrs. Annie Desandro and her sons James and Joseph were taken to hospitals in Trenton, N. J., for treatment after they were burned when an explosion occurred at the home of Edward Wall, Woodbourne, as James attempted to hurry breakfast preparations by pouring gasoline on the kitchen fire. Mrs. Desandro and her six children, and Mr. and Mrs. Wall and their five children were made homeless when the house was practically destroyed.

Giving outward expression to the feeling of affinity which existed between the Hicksite and Orthodox groups of Friends, the two bodies met for a joint service of worship at Fallsington Meeting House. This program followed a separation of 108 years.

8th—A week of special services was gotten under way at Bensalem A. M.

E. Church, marking the 119th anniversary of the said church.

Congregation of Avath Achim reopened after renovations. The honor of carrying the Ten Commandments from the home of Morris Cohen to the Synagogue was accorded to Mr. Uhr, of Philadelphia. A service of worship, and a repeat and dance followed.

9th—Philomena Reif, 27, was killed when it is stated she fell from the automobile driven by John Crawford, Langhorne R. D. The accident occurred in Middletown Township, the two being en route to purchase refreshments for the party which was being held in honor of the christening of Mrs. Reif's baby.

A Bristol man, wanted here, was arrested in Detroit. The one held was William Kline, colored, Wood street. The man was wanted here for questioning in connection with the shooting several months previous of Thomas Still, Buckingham.

Protest meetings were being formed by farmers throughout the county, who were objecting vigorously to the Federal potato control act.

10th—Pamel Slovo, brought here from Doylestown for a hearing in municipal court, on charge of assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery and attempt to kill, was held in \$1,000 bail for court. He admitted cutting his wife's throat. The woman appeared against Slovo.

11th—Frank Wagner, 61, Eddington, was fatally injured, and two companions hurt when the automobile in which they were riding struck a pole at Andalusia. Wagner died en route to Frankford Hospital.

Bucks County League of Women Voters met in Newtown, a greater part of the afternoon program being given over to discussion of whether the state constitution should or should not be revised.

12th—It was announced that the old Lincoln Highway between Janney station and Fallsington was to be widened to four lanes of traffic. E. T. Snipes, president of Morrisville Chamber of Commerce, stated Highway Department engineers would soon advertise for bids.

Charles Davidson, 56, a farm hand at Parkland, ended his life when he leaped in front of an express train at Parkland.

13th—In an early morning blaze, the five-room bungalow at Parkland, occupied by Robert Wagner, and owned by Adam Bambach, was destroyed.

Trevose Horticultural Association opened its 13th annual Fall flower show.

Bucks County court upheld the action of registration assessor J. Winder Van Arsdale, Lower Southampton township, who refused to register a voter without proof.

14th—Six relatives lost their lives when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a train on the Reading Railroad at Churchville grade crossing. The six en route to a family reunion, were: Mr. and Mrs. George Gaul, and Mrs. Jennie Country-

man, Audubon, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Schoenfeld and daughter Marguerite, South Langhorne. Mrs. Gaul was the mother of Mrs. Countryman and Mrs. Schoenfeld.

Edwin Schaffer, 24, of Coplay, met his death near Doylestown, when his motorcycle and an automobile crashed, while conversing with neighbors on the shore. The man's boat was tied up in the Neshaminy Creek at Croydon.

Records of the state highway patrol at Oxford Valley showed that since January 1, 1935, there had been 21 deaths from automobile accidents, and 311 injured cases investigated. In the same period 11 deaths, and 198 injured.

17th—Large votes were polled throughout Bucks County in the primary election.

Several hundred people viewed the interment at Beechwood Cemetery when six relatives were lowered simultaneously to their graves, the sexton having met death three days previous at a railroad grade crossing at Churchville.

18th—Conjecture had been rife in this area after three deer had been sighted in Bristol and vicinity on several occasions.

An 11-year-old boy, Kenneth Freed, was instantly killed, and his brother, Raymond, 21, was fatally injured when the motorcycle they were riding crashed into the side of an automobile on Perkaskie. The boys were sons of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin F. Freed, Perkaskie. The older youth died in a hospital at Sellersville.

Bucks County Boy Scouts were preparing for their annual exhibition at the Doylestown Fair.

20th—A coroner's jury at the municipal building exonerated drivers of two cars in which two people met their death. The driver of the vehicle in which Charles R. Schaffer, Tamaqua, was riding was Charles Reppe, Jr., Tamaqua; and John Crawford from which Mrs. Philomena Reif, Middletown Township, was said to have fallen or jumped.

A thief or thieves blew a safe in the office of A. W. and W. M. Watson Company, lumber dealers, at Morrisville, and made away with about \$140.

21st—Nelson Green, by virtue of his win over Herbert Lawrence, was crowned champion tennis player in the Burlington (N. J.) Tennis Tournament.

With the closing sessions of the two-day convention of Bucks County Sabbath School Association reached, Raymond Hedrick, Telford, was named president of the organization. The sessions were held in Trinity Reformed Church, Telford, with the new officer succeeding the Rev. J. A. Long, Newtown.

23rd—The Pennsylvania Railroad announced that train service on the route through Bristol was to be speeded up, effective September 29th. A total of 15 hours and four minutes was to be cut from schedules of trains be-

tween New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

24th—Doylestown Fair opened for its 13th year, with the biggest exhibition in its history. More than 5000 school children from all sections of Bucks County were guests of the fair association.

Mrs. Lucille White, Trenton, N. J., named Julius Bednar, South Langhorne, as defendant in a suit for \$20,000 filed in the Supreme Court, the suit growing from the automobile accident in which her husband was killed.

25th—William H. Cameron, 70, for 10 years a resident of Newportville, was buried in Philadelphia.

What was believed to be an attempt to pass a bogus \$5 bill was thwarted when police were called to Bowen's Pharmacy, where a lad had given the money in payment for a small purchase. The boy was not detained until police arrived.

Best display of crafts work at Doylestown Fair won for the Bristol Seascout ship "Elks" first prize.

A pet German cardinal, owned by Mrs. Michael Patrick, Wilson avenue, which had escaped from its cage, was eluding capture. Residents of the sixth ward enjoyed the bird's unusual whistle, and were attempting to capture it.

26th—President Judge Hiram H. Keller, of the Bucks County courts, accepted chairmanship of the financial campaign of Bucks County Council, Boy Scouts of America, in the campaign for funds for 1936 budget.

A New Hope couple, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bogle had a narrow escape from death, when they leaped to safety after their automobile became stalled on railroad tracks at Scudders Falls, N. J. The train, striking the machine, a few seconds later, completely wrecked it.

27th—The Travel Club year, 1935-36, was opened with a luncheon, the speaker being Madame Galja Barish Votaw, a native of Russia.

28th—Dr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Stradling, Edgely, quietly observed their 50th wedding anniversary. Dr. Stradling had practiced dentistry in Bristol for 54 years, and still maintained his office on Cedar street.

Two Bucks County women had achieved distinction, being included in "American Women," a who's who of the feminine world. The two thus honored were Mother Mary K. Drexel, of Cornwells Heights; and Mollie Woods Hare, Langhorne.

29th—Four young residents of Frankford, who had travelled in a sailboat to a point in the Delaware River near Burlington, N. J., clung for a half hour to their craft after the wind capsized it. Aid was given by Warren Scott, who went to the overturned boat in his row-boat. After drying their clothing the quartet sailed down the river to their homes.

30th—Announcement was made that a man arrested at Doylestown Fair a few days previous, had been arrested 78 times previously. The name of the one taken into custody was Sam Cohen, alias Sam Gold.

## "WIFE IN CUSTODY" by BEATRICE LUBITZ

### CHAPTER XLVIII

When she got in late that night, she undressed quickly and got into bed. It was four o'clock by the jeweled clock on her night table. She lit the bedside lamp and got out Walter's letter again. She read it over. "My children . . ." she murmured. And yet he hadn't made any effort to see them in two years. The court permitted him to see them whenever he wished. He had never availed himself of his right. Helen slipped down under the covers for the room was cold. She looked around at the familiar walls. She had lived here for two years. It was a pleasant, simple Colonial room but had taken on a luxurious air since her engagement. The heavy, monogrammed robe that covered her chaise longue, both Lester's and the gleaming monogrammed silver on her dresser; the cut-glass and Wedgwood lamps. Everywhere was Lester's touch; the jeweled clock, the flowers, the fine editions, the collection of old ivory figurines on her dressing table; the gleaming bottles and jars . . . the silky rugs.

She decided she'd leave most of the things here for Cecily. Cecily loved the downy lace pillows on the chaise longue—Cecily who looked as if her bed could be of steel. In two weeks she would be Mrs. Lester Molyneux. It was a nice name. It had dignity and strength. Helen Molyneux . . . certainly was more distinctive than Riley . . . Helen Schiller Riley. It wasn't like Helen Schiller Molyneux.

She drew a deep breath. Lester was having his apartment refurnished so that it would be ready when they returned from a world tour. Lester agreed to everything. How sweet he was. She felt almost motherly toward him. Her room was as doing herself. It was going to be nice. The view of the park was nice. Fifth Avenue was lovely. So much nicer than Park. She'd always associate Park Avenue with Dirk's suicide. Thoughts passed through her mind a little hazily. How the Riley girls must be envying her! Did they still hate her? she wondered. Curious that she didn't care! Almost forgot what they looked like . . . Walter could make her cry so bitterly. She never cried now. All that was long ago. Somewhere she had read: "When you cease to cry, you cease to care." It would be nice to be married again. Lester had so many friends, gay parties, travel . . . lovely view . . . Good night, Lester, dear, good night . . . You mustn't forget the gym again . . . you must watch your weight . . . good night, dear . . . Good night, Lester dear . . .

Mrs. Terhune said: "Daddy and Ces and I want to make a big party for you on Thursday night. Now don't you throw any wet blankets over our plans. It will be a pre-wedding party and we're set on it. Daddy's getting out all his choicest liquors. I'm going to call Lester right up and he won't let you change our minds. The ideal! We were all set on giving you a big wedding but since you and Lester don't want it, we're going to have our party anyway."

"Mummy darling, but the work!" "Don't you fret. I'm having a caterer."

"You clever thing! But, mummy, the expense."

"Boosh. As if we couldn't afford to make our fosterchild a party if we wanted to. Since you're marrying that plutocrat, you act as if we were paupers, young lady!"

"Oh, mummy," Helen burst out laughing. "You're a marvel. I love that injured air, don't you, Ces?"

The old lady laughed. "These moneyed people! We'll show them, Ces, won't we? I'm going to wear every jewel I own—every button."

"Hurrah for the House of Terhune!" Ces cheered.

Helen rocked with laughter. "I love that. All right, mummy, throw your party. I hope the neighbors complain."

"Let them try! We've been in this house forty-nine years."

"Next year we'll get a loving cup," Ces observed.

Mrs. Terhune twinkled. "If daddy were the business man Lester is, we'd have owned the house by now."

Mr. Terhune, coming in the doorway, heard the remark. "Sure and lost it again in the crash," he said genially. He carried a large package. "The cigars came." He kissed his daughter as he passed, then Helen. He kissed his wife's frail forehead.

"Feeling all right, Lindie?"

"Better than you."

"Ah, no, you don't," he chortled. "I'm all agog over this party. Mother, you and I must dance a good old-time waltz at Helen's party."

"I think we ought to," the old lady agreed placidly. "A nice, old-fashioned waltz."

"Lester says he wants a dance with you too, mummy."

"Very well, he shall have one."

"It looks to me like you're planning to be the whole show at this party, mother."

"Just never you mind, Ces. This may be Helen's party, but I'm going to enjoy it!"

Not even for Dirk's wedding had the Terhune living room looked so splendid. The room was literally banked with chrysanthemums and red carnations—Helen's favorite flower. Helen pinned one in Lester's lapel.

"It makes you look rather rakish," she giggled, "but festive."

"I feel more than rakish. I feel devilish."

"Stop it, Lester. These kisses shock mother. Please restrain yourself."

"I can't."

"I'll have to hold your head under the tap."

"You look lovely, Helen. I've never seen you in black before. You're ravishing. What is this, some sort of net?"

"Yes. Do you like the length?"

"If it was any longer, we wouldn't need a rug."

"I love these long skirts. I hope they're in to stay. I think they're much more alluring than short skirts."

"Alluring, my lord, if you were any more alluring, it would be just too bad."

"Lester!" she blushed. "You're incorrigible." But she stirred uneasily.

The guests began to arrive. Supper was served at eleven o'clock in the dining room. They were toasted until Helen was dizzy. Lester too was feeling the effects of the good wishes. Helen leaned over to kiss him and to whisper a little warning in his ear. He took it good-naturedly and put down his glass.

At midnight the old couple went to bed, exhausted but happy. The party took on a livelier air. The furniture in the living room was pushed against the wall. Cecily's wolfhound, Czar Nicholas the Second, known intimately as Nick, got between everyone's feet and there were bursts of laughter. In the library Lester officiated at a miniature bar but he took no more himself. Lola Evans and her husband came in after their show and Lola was prevailed upon to sing and dance. She was an acid mimic and her burlesque of Rudy Vallee was followed by enthusiastic applause. Helen danced and danced. Dancing always filled her with exhilaration.

She had dressed her blond hair tonight curled under so that it looked as if it were bobbed and the broad waves ran from the nape of her neck upward, catching the light in wide glints. The enormous diamond glittered on her finger.

While she was dancing with Arch Evans, Mose, the old butler called her.

"Miss Helen, oh, Miss Helen, there's someone to see you."

"Pardon me a moment, Arch. Who is it, Mose?"

"You'd better come and see for yourself."

"I'll be right back, Arch."

She followed the creaking old man down the long hall to the door. In the small reception room off the hallway stood Walter.

For what seemed an eternity they faced each other without speaking. The butler shuffled back along the hall to the living room. From that end came the sound of laughing voices, the blare of the music. Helen switched on the main lights. He stood there, taller and slimmer and darker than she remembered him, his hat in his hand. Neither spoke. Then Helen extended her hand and Walter took it. They shook hands.

"I want to see the children," he said. "I'm going on a trip tomorrow. I may not see them again."

"Your sisters were forever making little suicide threats. Is this one of them?"

He flushed. "I hoped you believed better of me than that. No, I just want to see them. I'm tired. I may be gone for six months. I'm going to South America. Many things happen in six months—even unmediated things."

"They're sleeping," she said more gently.

"May I see them sleeping?"

Helen turned and walked down the hall. He followed her on tiptoe. The hall turned in an ell where the children's room was. She opened the door softly and switched on the night light, then closed the door swiftly to keep out the sounds of gaiety from the living rooms. He stood over the two softly breathing sleeping children.

For a long time he stood silent, studying them. And then Helen realized she was weeping. It was effortless, quiet weeping. Not even her face contracted. Tears poured from her eyes, down her cheeks. She did not sob; she made no sound. She squeezed her eyes tightly shut but the tears seeped through. He turned slowly, handling his hat.

"Thank you," he whispered. "I'll go now."

Then she saw he was weeping too and her face moved and she sobbed softly.

He was her husband. A thousand memories they shared, a thousand intimacies. She had lain in his arms warm and yielding. She had loved him and no divorce, not even another husband, would ever take his place.

He made no move to touch her. "I want you to know before I go," he told her swiftly, "that I never believed a word of it. My mother called for you just before she died. It's too late now for anything. You deserve to be happy." He pointed to the ring that glittered on her finger.

"I never made you happy although I wanted to."

"You did," she contradicted. "We had some lovely moments on the farm, in Florida, in Europe . . ." She bit her lip. So many tragic moments. Like ghosts sent to haunt them, the past fitted between them.

"But I'm free now," he said. "I know you'll be glad to know I'm free of them. I guess it happened when you left me. I threw off my sisters and they go their way and I go mine. I don't ever see them. Losing you was a terrible thing, Helen; it gets harder instead of easier, but at least, it freed me."

He walked toward the door. She followed him down the ell, then along the narrow hall to the outside door.

"I am glad, Walter. You deserve some happiness. You've always been so unselfish—so self-sacrificing . . . They were at the door now."

"Thank you, Helen, you too." He was about to go. Still he lingered.

"Do you want to come in to my party?" she faltered.

"I'm not dressed," but his face brightened. He looked at her hungrily.

"You are so beautiful, Helen. Even more beautiful than when we eloped and got married."

Suddenly Helen went quite blind, quite limp. She only knew she clung to him and that the tears that fell on her face couldn't be hers alone.

END

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## Cleopatra's nose ---and yours!

If Cleopatra's nose had been a little longer, we are told, the history of the world would probably have been very different . . . such is the power of a lady's face!

In those days, beauty aids were matters of trial and error. Since then science has taught us many things about hair, eyes, teeth, nails, complexion . . . figure. Almost all the things that really count in a woman's appearance she can control, herself. And a self-made beauty, to our way of thinking, has as much to her credit as a self-made industrial leader.

Examine your own complexion today. Could it be better? Is your hair as soft and lustrous, your teeth as white, your eyes as shining as they might be? Have you made the most of every possibility? If the answer must be "not quite," do take the matter in hand . . . this very day.



## In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. : : :

### FAMILIES HERE HAVE GUESTS

John Spangler, Red Hill, is spending ten days with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Force, 329 Monroe street.

Walter Eagan, Germantown, was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Eastlack, Garden street.

Miss Betty Della, New York, returned home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Torano, 1619 Wilson avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Torano and daughters, Betty and Frances, Mrs. A. Massella, Otter street, and Mrs. Thomas Degro, Penn street, spent Sunday in Wissinoming visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Palmer.

Mrs. Ada Rowe, Burlington, N. J., spent Saturday with Mrs. Irene Silpath, Radcliffe street.

William Walker returned to Pennington, N. J., after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Otter street.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Donnell, returned to Centralia, Sunday, following five days' visit with the Harkins family, Race street.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Larrisey and son Jack, Philadelphia, spent New Year's Day as guests of Mrs. Larrisey's sister, Mrs. Anna Gosline, 547 Linden street.

Mrs. Rose McComesky, Camden, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. William Lawler, Burlington, N. J., were New Year's Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Cullen, 914 Cedar street.

Mrs. Esther Vasey and daughter Ev-

elyn and son Taylor, Camden, N. J., were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fenton, Harrison street. Evelyn remained until Sunday at the Fenton home, while Taylor remained until Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Light, McKinley street.

### TIME TAKEN FOR VISITS

Myra Giron, Corson street, has returned home after spending a week with her mother in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Bessie Campbell returned to Clymer street, after spending the holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Campbell, Morrisville.

Mrs. Harry Pope, 622 Beaver street, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends in Washington, D. C.

Misses Rita McGee, 633 Beaver St.; Mary Jo McGee, Washington street; Dorothy Dugan, Spruce street; Marie Lippincott, Linden street; accom-

panied by friends from Abington, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Luff, Vineland, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elbertson, Mrs. Julia Harrison and Miss Mary McLaughlin, Radcliffe street, spent Sunday in Beach Haven, N. J.

### FOLKS AWAY

Mrs. E. H. McCurry, Venice avenue, left Saturday for Indianapolis, Ind., where she is spending a week with relatives, and while there attend the funeral of her cousin, William Lewis. On her return trip, Mrs. McCurry will stop in Pittsburgh with relatives for several days.

Mrs. Anna Kelly, Madison street, and father, Henry Woolman, Locust street, spent Sunday in Tacony, visiting relatives.

Miss Ida Phipps, Hayes street, spent the week-end in Norristown, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McLaughlin and daughters, Lola and June, Pond street, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boehringer, Newportville.

### COME FROM GLOUCESTER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gallagher and son, Gloucester, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mrs. Rose McGlynn, 916 Cedar street.

COURIER CLASSIFIED ADS ARE SMALL BUT MIGHTY

### SEVEN TABLES ARE FILLED WITH CARD PLAYERS AT PARTY

Affair Conducted by Shepherds Delight Lodge, Last Evening

At the card party conducted by Shepherds Delight Lodge, Shepherds of Bethlehem, in F. P. A. hall, last evening, seven tables of players were formed.

The high scorers included: Pinochle—Mrs. William Simons and Mrs. William Harding, 787; Mrs. Neindorf, 767; E. Gerhart, 716; Mrs. James McCloy, 701. In "500"—Mrs. Alfred McLaughlin, 3079; Mrs. Robert Patterson, 2390; Mrs. Warren Thompson, 2260. The chairman was William Walton. Refreshments concluded a pleasant affair.

The organization plans to install officers on January 20th, the work being in charge of Mrs. James McCloy, deputy supreme commander.

### COMING EVENTS

Organizations whose announcements are printed in this column can reciprocate by having all printing in connection with announced events done by the publishers of this paper.

### January 9—

Moving picture entertainment in auditorium of Bensalem Township High School, benefit of Bensalem athletic program, eight o'clock.

### Jan. 10—

Card and radio party in Hulmeville Fire Co. station, benefit of Ladies' Auxiliary. Movies and baked goods sale in Grace Church parish room, Hulmeville.

### January 11—

Card party by Catholic Daughters in K. of C. home.

### Jan. 15—

Card party given by Neshamony Lodge, 422, in I. O. O. F. hall, Hulmeville.

### MARRIED ON DARE

UNIONTOWN—(INS)—"Marry in haste, repent at leisure."

That age-old axiom proved appropriate to Mr. and Mrs. John Gillespie who, susceptible to suggestion, were

married on the dare of another bride and bridegroom.

In haste, the couple rushed to Wellsburg, W. Va., August 31, 1931, where they married.

In leisure, the bridegroom changed his attitude toward matrimony a few hours after the ceremony, left his bride at her front door and never lived with her.

They were divorced recently.

### Unique X'mas Display Attracts Attention

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been made from pine-tree cones, and other types have been purchased.

In one corner of the room there was erected a fire-place with an artificial fire glowing, and a large figure of Santa Claus on the mantel of the same. Outlining the inside of the fire-place are eight small bulbs on which glow red crosses, these according to Mr. Carter being used for the past 12 years.

The village is also a thing of wonder, and has taken much time. Five houses have been placed in the well-laid-out town; there is an airport, a railroad station, and a garage. One of the houses, larger than the others features Minnie and Mickey Mouse who are looking out of the windows. The streets are well lighted with miniature street lights.

The oval railroad takes the center of the "ground" picture, and a train runs on an electrified line under two tunnels. Perched on the poles of the electric line are gay-colored birds. Small dolls have their proper places in the village; and the animals in one corner have their barn-yard outlined with gilded sea-shells.

When the sassafras tree was placed in the house, the wires for the lights

were well taped and inspected before Mr. and Mrs. Carter commenced their work of wrapping with cotton, this precaution being taken to guard against fire. The cotton was cut in strips, and then carefully bound on the tree. Next the placing of balls and bulbs occurred.

Passersby always halt when they pass by the Carter home, so brilliant, attractive and unusual is the display. And already the family is planning for a bigger and better one for next December.

### Petitioners Lose in Fight Against DeGroot Election

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it up." She said she took an affidavit that she was 21 and that she voted the straight Republican ticket.

Although her husband is not naturalized, Mrs. Margaret Micozzi, of 338 New Brook street, Bristol, testified that she voted, and that she voted the straight Republican ticket.

"Dr. Webb is my doctor and certainly I voted for him," Mrs. Micozzi declared.

Mrs. Angeline Labergola, of Grant avenue, Bristol, testified that she is a widow, and that she was never naturalized, but that her husband was naturalized 13 years ago, in Philadelphia. She said that she cannot read but was instructed to put one cross on the ballot to vote the straight Republican ticket, and voted that way.

Maranna Liveratore, testified that she went to the polls but that her husband would not allow her to vote. She was named as one who did vote.

Judges Hiram H. Keller and Calvin S. Boyer heard the testimony in the case. They ruled, after dismissing the petition, that the witnesses whose votes were declared illegal, be not al-

lowed to receive witness fees for their attendance in Court.

### LEGAL ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Max Arthur Bock, late of the Township of Bristol, Pa., deceased. Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to

FRIEDA BOCK, Administratrix, C. T. A., 4429 Cottman Street, Philadelphia, Pa. WILLIAM H. CONCA, Attorney, 204 Radcliffe St., Bristol, Pa.

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### Announcements

#### Deaths

**FARRELL**—At Bristol, Pa., January 5, 1936, Anna, wife of the late John B. Farrell. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Wednesday, January 8, 1936, from her late residence, 500 Jefferson avenue, Bristol. Interment in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening.

**MEDER**—At Bristol R. D. No. 1, Jan. 6, Grace M. Meder (nee Jackson), wife of Carl J. Meder and daughter of Frank and Gertrude Jackson, aged 41 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the funeral, Thursday, January 9th, at 10 a. m., from her late residence, Emille Road, above Midway. Interment in Old Kennett Burying Ground, Hamorton, Chester County. Friends may call Wednesday evening.

### Funeral Directors

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Estate of Stanley E. Brobst, late of the Borough of Bristol, Pa., deceased. Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to

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Estate of William Joseph Keen, Sr., late of the borough of Hulmeville, Pa., deceased.

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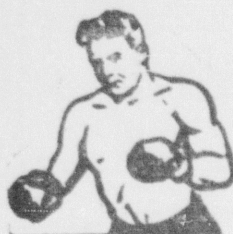
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# Baseball, Football, Basketball, Boxing, Bowling and Other Sporting Events Are Featured Daily For The Local Follower and Lover of Sport



## BRISTOL HIGH BASKETEERS OPEN THEIR CAGE SEASON HERE TONIGHT

(By Jack Orr)

The Cardinal and Gray colors of Bristol High will be flashed for the first time tonight when the localites meet Jim Doherty's basketeers from Fallsington. This will be a Lower Bucks County Conference battle, the first of the year for both clubs.

Coach Bill Dougherty's proteges will be out to avenge a setback handed them by the Orange and Black last year when they were in the midst of a winning streak. Last season the teams split their pair of contests, Falls winning the first game and the Bunnies triumphing in the second fray. Oddly enough, both games ended in 17-15 scores.

Frank Capiello and Bill Lovett, both football stars, are starters for the Orange and Black, along with Jim Patterson. These three gridiron players will be out to gain vengeance for that 33-0 football defeat handed them by the localites in the football opener this year.

The first five for the Bunnies is Phil Carnvale and Punk Zefferi up front, Charlie Hughes rangy pivot man, and Tom Proffy with Nick Huffnell at the guard posts. Coach Dougherty is un-

decided and may pull a surprise and start his second string quintet of Jib DeWitt, center; Jules Zefferi and Will Vanlenten, up front men; and Joe Conti and Dom Sagolla, football backs, at the defensive posts.

At the half time the gym team will give one of its fine performances on the side horse. This will be the first exhibition of the year for the gymnastically inclined youths. The usual dance will be held after the games.

In the first game the Cardinal and Gray jayvees will combat the J. V. team from Fallsington. The Junior Bunnies defeated the Orange and Black jayvees by the count of 22-14 in their contest last year.

Probable line-up:	Position	Bristol
C. Capiello	forward	Carnvale
Briegle	forward	P. Zefferi
C. Roberts	center	Hughes
Lovett	guard	T. Proffy
Patterson	guard	Huffnell
Referee:	Hopkins.	
Tap-Off:	7:30	

## J. A. C. TAKES THREE OF FOUR BOWLING GAMES

In the Federal Bowling League the J. A. C. took three of the four points from Taylor's. "Hamburg" Tomlinson bowled high 498 for the "Mules," while W. Whyno shared the honors for Taylor with 438.

In the American League the R. & H. took three of the four points from Safety Laundry. Colville split the maples with a 504 total, while P. Satterthwaite bowled 507 for Safety Laundry.

In the Bristol League, Harriman Grille took three of the four points from R. & H. "Ice" Milt Jones crushed the maples with a total of 626, while "Buster" Hirsch rolled 544.

In the National League, Asco upset the K. of C. winners of the first half, by taking two of the four points. Charlie Whyno rolled 555 with a 200 game. Wilkinson bowled 459 for the Caseys.

FEDERAL LEAGUE			
Taylor's	134	190	324
Milnor	101	113	214
Scratch	124	158	282
Fite	122	94	216
M. Whyno	137	156	293
Taylor	160	114	274

J. A. C.			
W. Tomlinson	142	135	277

McCurry	104	113	217
J. Whyno	131	117	248
McGee	193	155	348
Keating	136	122	258
F. Tomlinson	187	130	317
	751	666	1417

R. & H.			
Kendig	139	156	295
Pearson	149	157	306
Colville	160	164	324
Frank	167	163	330
Phipps	156	162	318
	771	802	1573

Safety Laundry			
Boch	147	194	341
Crums	168	138	306
Popeye	153	147	300
Lynn	129	159	288
Satterthwaite	145	192	337
	742	830	1572

BRISTOL LEAGUE			
Harriman Grille	200	202	402
Amisson	135	189	324
Dixon	182	166	348
Stewart	196	212	408
Jones	125	178	303
Bruden	838	947	1785

R. & H.			
Hirsch	160	180	340
Wenzel	198	133	331
Encke	176	182	358

## IN FOUL-SHOOTING TEST



LOU DUBIN, TEMPLE

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 7.—A contest to decide the city foul-tossing champion among boys weighing 95 pounds or less will be staged this week under the auspices of George Casey, supervisor of the Big Brothers Association.

The preliminary round will be staged Saturday afternoon at two o'clock in the Big Brothers' gymnasium, 25 South Van Pelt street. There will be no entrance fee and the only qualification is that each applicant must weigh 95 pounds or less.

A set of medals will be awarded to the champion and the second and third place winners.

## Carry U. S. Speed Skating Hopes to Olympics



Left to right are Leo Freisinger of Chicago, Allan Potts of Brooklyn, Robert Peterson of Milwaukee, Ed Schroeder of Chicago and Dell Lamb of Milwaukee, who will represent the United States in the speed skating events at the winter Olympic games in Germany. They are pictured at Newburgh, N. Y., ice meet where Freisinger won the Middle-Atlantic championship.

Sharkey	133	149	168	440
Yates	178	174	166	518
	845	818	888	2551

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

K. of C.			
Wilkinson	159	149	308
Bailey	133	149	282
Lawler	148		
McGinley	157	112	269
Lawler	151		
Lovett	131	146	277
Darrell	179	130	309
	759	691	1450

Asco			
Taffe	131	134	265
Whyno	200	174	374
Gus	133		
Kline	117		
Spaulding	144	165	309
Lynn	140	152	292
	732	757	1489

## BASKETBALL MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Bristol Amateur Basketball League in the Moose Home, this evening at 6:30 o'clock.

## NEWS BRIEFS

Virginia Louise Lawrence, Lansdowne, paid a several days' visit last week to her grandmother, Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, Sr., 338 Radcliffe street.

Mrs. Howard Talley, Harrisburg, has been paying a several days' visit to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Florence Beswick, 352 Jackson street.

Miss Helen Conover, Trenton, N. J., will pay a visit this week to her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Stackhouse, Jefferson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shire, Philadelphia, paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Smith, New Buckley street.

## CROYDON

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston had as their New Year's Day guests, Mrs. Johnston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huber, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cornwells were guests of relatives in Tacony on New Year's Day.

Dr. and Mrs. A. Gonzalez entertained a party of friends over the holidays. Joseph Suppers is recuperating after being ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Siebold attended a luncheon in Philadelphia, New Year's Day.

Mrs. Allen Gleason and children were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vogel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zeangle, Pensauken, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Frederick.

## FALLSINGTON

Mrs. Alice Lovett entertained at dinner on New Year's Day: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Satterthwaite, Mrs. Annie Satterthwaite, Misses Alberta and Thelma Satterthwaite, and Stanley and David Satterthwaite.

The Girls' Friendly Society met at the rectory on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Kloppenberg, of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kloppenberg.

Miss Anita Cregar entertained at her home on Friday night Miss Kathryn Cryer, Penn's Manor; Miss Alice Bacon, Miss Anne Bacon, Miss Alberta Satterthwaite and Miss Thelma Satterthwaite.

Miss Emma F. Moon was a Friday visitor in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Clemens and son Charles spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Sandoff, Trenton, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Sandoff left later for Florida where they will spend several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kloppenberg entertained at cards on Friday night.

Misses Ruth and Olive Hartman are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rhymer, New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray G. Walleck and daughter Jean, Drexel Hill, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Christman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shomock, who

have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartman, have returned to their home in Ohio.

## RABBIT ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The Bucks County Rabbit and Cavy Association will hold the next meeting in Enterprise Hall, Newtown, January 14th, at 8 p. m., at which time membership will be open for 1936. The speaker for the evening will be J. Mason Custer, who will explain the organization of the American Rabbit and Cavy Breeders' Association. Visitors will be welcomed.

## FRANKLIN D. and FRANKLIN P.

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MEN, AND INDIRECT ASSURANCES OF EXECUTIVE FAVOR WERE ALMOST AS NUMEROUS AS VISITORS AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

"NO ONE COULD DENY THAT HE HAD GROWN LESS BY HIS ELEVATION, LIKE A LITTLE STATUE ON A GREAT PEDESTAL."

Although Franklin Pierce had promised to lead the people into new and green pastures, it became increasingly manifest that he was without the guidance of a firm and leading idea, and without the ballast of moral principles.

The feeling within the Democratic Party became one of abashed disenchantment, varying from indifference to indignation.

IT WAS SEEN THAT, AS A RESULT OF HIS EARLY MIXTURE WITH POLITICS, HE WAS A MERE POLITICIAN OF THE MOMENT, WITH A KNACK AND CUNNING WHICH GUIDED HIM TOLERABLY WELL THROUGH IMMEDIATE DIFFICULTIES, BUT WHOLLY UNINSTRUCTED IN THE GREAT RULES OF HIGHER POLICY.

It was perceived that his highest aspiration was for office; that he would stoop for it, beg for it, maneuver for it and even creep toward it.

"The whole course of Pierce," says the historian, "was an open and full confession that he had not the moral honesty to stand to the principles on which he was elected."

He nevertheless carried the mid-term elections by heavy majorities and evidently believed that his reelection was assured—"in the bag," as Farley would express it today.

But here analogy stops—or rather, impending events have not sufficiently disclosed themselves to enable its further tracing. FRANKLIN PIERCE WAS NOT RE-ELECTED.

He was not even given a re-nomination by his party.

Another Democrat was nominated in his stead, who made his campaign and was elected on a repudiation of Pierce and his record.

"I am not responsible," said his successor, "for the Administration of President Pierce; therefore I will inaugurate a new system."

Are such things as these merely coincidences, or is history engaged in one of its—not infrequent—repetitions?

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Chesterfield  
brings 'em down  
leap year...and  
every year

